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AO 440 (Rev. 06/12) Summons in a Civil Action

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the

Southern District of Texas

Harvest Natural Resources, Inc.,
and HNR Energia B.V.

Plaintiff(s)

v.

Juan Jose Garcia Mendoza, et al.

Defendant(s)

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) Civil Action No. 4:18-cv-00483
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SUMMONS IN A CIVIL ACTION

To: *(Defendant's name and address)* Azure 406 LLC
Registered Agent: Sandra Castillo Tejera
9401 Collins Ave., Unit 406
Surfside, Florida 33154

A lawsuit has been filed against you.

Within 21 days after service of this summons on you (not counting the day you received it) — or 60 days if you are the United States or a United States agency, or an officer or employee of the United States described in Fed. R. Civ. P. 12 (a)(2) or (3) — you must serve on the plaintiff an answer to the attached complaint or a motion under Rule 12 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. The answer or motion must be served on the plaintiff or plaintiff's attorney, whose name and address are: Lee L. Kaplan, Smyser Kaplan & Veselka, LLP, 700 Louisiana, Ste. 2300, Houston, Texas 77002.

If you fail to respond, judgment by default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint. You also must file your answer or motion with the court.

CLERK OF COURT

Date: _____

Signature of Clerk or Deputy Clerk

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Civil Action No. 4:18-cv-00483

PROOF OF SERVICE

(This section should not be filed with the court unless required by Fed. R. Civ. P. 4 (l))

This summons for *(name of individual and title, if any)* Azure 406 LLC
was received by me on *(date)* _____ .

☐ I personally served the summons on the individual at *(place)* _____
_____ on *(date)* _____ ; or

☐ I left the summons at the individual's residence or usual place of abode with *(name)* _____
_____, a person of suitable age and discretion who resides there,
on *(date)* _____ , and mailed a copy to the individual's last known address; or

☐ I served the summons on *(name of individual)* _____ , who is
designated by law to accept service of process on behalf of *(name of organization)* _____
_____ on *(date)* _____ ; or

☐ I returned the summons unexecuted because _____ ; or

☐ Other *(specify)*:

My fees are \$ _____ for travel and \$ _____ for services, for a total of \$ 0.00 .

I declare under penalty of perjury that this information is true.

Date: _____

Server's signature

Printed name and title

Server's address

Additional information regarding attempted service, etc:

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for the

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v.

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Defendant(s)

Civil Action No. 4:18-cv-00483

SUMMONS IN A CIVIL ACTION

To: *(Defendant's name and address)* Azure 406 LLC
Registered Agent: Sandra Castillo Tejera
9401 Collins Ave., Unit 406
Surfside, Florida 33154

A lawsuit has been filed against you.

Within 21 days after service of this summons on you (not counting the day you received it) — or 60 days if you are the United States or a United States agency, or an officer or employee of the United States described in Fed. R. Civ. P. 12 (a)(2) or (3) — you must serve on the plaintiff an answer to the attached complaint or a motion under Rule 12 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. The answer or motion must be served on the plaintiff or plaintiff's attorney, whose name and address are: Lee L. Kaplan, Smyser Kaplan & Veselka, LLP, 700 Louisiana, Ste. 2300, Houston, Texas 77002.

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Date: _____

DAVID J. BRADLEY
CLERK OF COURT



Signature of Clerk or Deputy Clerk

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Civil Action No. 4:18-cv-00483

PROOF OF SERVICE

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This summons for *(name of individual and title, if any)* Azure 406 LLC
was received by me on *(date)* _____.

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_____ on *(date)* _____; or
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on *(date)* _____, and mailed a copy to the individual's last known address; or
- ☐ I served the summons on *(name of individual)* _____, who is
designated by law to accept service of process on behalf of *(name of organization)* _____
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I declare under penalty of perjury that this information is true.

Date: _____

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Printed name and title

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Additional information regarding attempted service, etc:

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Defendant(s)

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SUMMONS IN A CIVIL ACTION

To: *(Defendant's name and address)* Juan Jose Garcia Mendoza
9401 Collins Ave. #605
Surfside, FL 33154-2610

A lawsuit has been filed against you.

Within 21 days after service of this summons on you (not counting the day you received it) — or 60 days if you are the United States or a United States agency, or an officer or employee of the United States described in Fed. R. Civ. P. 12 (a)(2) or (3) — you must serve on the plaintiff an answer to the attached complaint or a motion under Rule 12 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. The answer or motion must be served on the plaintiff or plaintiff's attorney, whose name and address are: Lee L. Kaplan, Smyser Kaplan & Veselka, LLP, 700 Louisiana, Ste. 2300, Houston, Texas 77002.

If you fail to respond, judgment by default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint. You also must file your answer or motion with the court.

CLERK OF COURT

Date: _____

Signature of Clerk or Deputy Clerk

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_____, a person of suitable age and discretion who resides there,
on *(date)* _____ , and mailed a copy to the individual's last known address; or

☐ I served the summons on *(name of individual)* _____ , who is
designated by law to accept service of process on behalf of *(name of organization)* _____
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My fees are \$ _____ for travel and \$ _____ for services, for a total of \$ 0.00 .

I declare under penalty of perjury that this information is true.

Date: _____

Server's signature

Printed name and title

Server's address

Additional information regarding attempted service, etc:

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Defendant(s)

Civil Action No. 4:18-cv-00483

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To: *(Defendant's name and address)* Juan Jose Garcia Mendoza
9401 Collins Ave. #605
Surfside, FL 33154-2610

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If you fail to respond, judgment by default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint. You also must file your answer or motion with the court.

DAVID J. BRADLEY

CLERK OF COURT

Date:

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(Signature)
Signature of Clerk or Deputy Clerk

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was received by me on *(date)* _____.

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on *(date)* _____; or

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on *(date)* _____, and mailed a copy to the individual's last known address; or

☐ I served the summons on *(name of individual)* _____, who is
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on *(date)* _____; or

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My fees are \$ _____ for travel and \$ _____ for services, for a total of \$ 0.00.

I declare under penalty of perjury that this information is true.

Date: _____

Server's signature

Printed name and title

Server's address

Additional information regarding attempted service, etc:

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Civil Action No. 4:18-cv-00483

PROOF OF SERVICE

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This summons for *(name of individual and title, if any)* Petroconsultores (Barbados) Ltd.
was received by me on *(date)* _____ .

☐ I personally served the summons on the individual at *(place)* _____
_____ on *(date)* _____ ; or

☐ I left the summons at the individual's residence or usual place of abode with *(name)* _____
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Server's address

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Plaintiff(s)

V.

Juan Jose Garcia Mendoza, et al.

Defendant(s)

Civil Action No. 4:18-cv-00483

SUMMONS IN A CIVIL ACTION

To: *(Defendant's name and address)* Petroconsultores (Barbados) Ltd.
8925 Collins Ave. Unit 7C
Surfside, Florida 33154

A lawsuit has been filed against you.

Within 21 days after service of this summons on you (not counting the day you received it) — or 60 days if you are the United States or a United States agency, or an officer or employee of the United States described in Fed. R. Civ. P. 12 (a)(2) or (3) — you must serve on the plaintiff an answer to the attached complaint or a motion under Rule 12 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. The answer or motion must be served on the plaintiff or plaintiff's attorney, whose name and address are: Lee L. Kaplan, Smyser Kaplan & Veselka, LLP, 700 Louisiana, Ste. 2300, Houston, Texas 77002.

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Date: _____

DAVID J. BRADLEY

CLERK OF COURT

Signature of Clerk or Deputy

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This summons for *(name of individual and title, if any)* Petroconsultores (Barbados) Ltd.
was received by me on *(date)* _____.

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on *(date)* _____; or

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Date: _____

Server's signature

Printed name and title

Server's address

Additional information regarding attempted service, etc:

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Defendant(s)

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Civil Action No. 4:18-cv-00483

SUMMONS IN A CIVIL ACTION

To: *(Defendant's name and address)* Petroconsultores, Inc.
8925 Collins Ave. Unit 7C
Surfside, Florida 33154

A lawsuit has been filed against you.

Within 21 days after service of this summons on you (not counting the day you received it) — or 60 days if you are the United States or a United States agency, or an officer or employee of the United States described in Fed. R. Civ. P. 12 (a)(2) or (3) — you must serve on the plaintiff an answer to the attached complaint or a motion under Rule 12 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. The answer or motion must be served on the plaintiff or plaintiff's attorney, whose name and address are: Lee L. Kaplan, Smyser Kaplan & Veselka, LLP, 700 Louisiana, Ste. 2300, Houston, Texas 77002.

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CLERK OF COURT

Date: _____

Signature of Clerk or Deputy Clerk

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Civil Action No. 4:18-cv-00483

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This summons for *(name of individual and title, if any)* Petroconsultores, Inc.
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Date: _____

Server's signature

Printed name and title

Server's address

Additional information regarding attempted service, etc:

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Plaintiff(s)

v.

Juan Jose Garcia Mendoza, et al.

Defendant(s)

Civil Action No. 4:18-cv-00483

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To: *(Defendant's name and address)* Petroconsultores, Inc.
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FEB 23 2018

Date: _____

DAVID J. BRADLEY
CLERK OF COURT



Signature of Clerk or Deputy Clerk

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Civil Action No. 4:18-cv-00483

PROOF OF SERVICE

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This summons for *(name of individual and title, if any)* Petroconsultores, Inc.
was received by me on *(date)* _____.

☐ I personally served the summons on the individual at *(place)* _____
on *(date)* _____; or

☐ I left the summons at the individual's residence or usual place of abode with *(name)* _____
_____, a person of suitable age and discretion who resides there,
on *(date)* _____, and mailed a copy to the individual's last known address; or

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Date: _____

Server's signature

Printed name and title

Server's address

Additional information regarding attempted service, etc:

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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Harvest Natural Resources, Inc.,
and HNR Energia B.V.

Plaintiff(s)

v.

Juan Jose Garcia Mendoza, et al.

Defendant(s)

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Civil Action No. 4:18-cv-00483

SUMMONS IN A CIVIL ACTION

To: *(Defendant's name and address)* Selle LLC
Registered agent: Worldwide Corporate Administrators LLC
2330 Ponce De Leon Blvd
Coral Gables, FL 33134

A lawsuit has been filed against you.

Within 21 days after service of this summons on you (not counting the day you received it) — or 60 days if you are the United States or a United States agency, or an officer or employee of the United States described in Fed. R. Civ. P. 12 (a)(2) or (3) — you must serve on the plaintiff an answer to the attached complaint or a motion under Rule 12 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. The answer or motion must be served on the plaintiff or plaintiff's attorney, whose name and address are: Lee L. Kaplan, Smyser Kaplan & Veselka, LLP, 700 Louisiana, Ste. 2300, Houston, Texas 77002.

If you fail to respond, judgment by default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint. You also must file your answer or motion with the court.

CLERK OF COURT

Date: _____

Signature of Clerk or Deputy Clerk

HARVEST_RDR_000105

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Civil Action No. 4:18-cv-00483

PROOF OF SERVICE

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This summons for *(name of individual and title, if any)* Selle LLC
was received by me on *(date)* _____ .

☐ I personally served the summons on the individual at *(place)* _____
_____ on *(date)* _____ ; or

☐ I left the summons at the individual's residence or usual place of abode with *(name)* _____
_____, a person of suitable age and discretion who resides there,
on *(date)* _____ , and mailed a copy to the individual's last known address; or

☐ I served the summons on *(name of individual)* _____ , who is
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Date: _____

Server's signature

Printed name and title

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Plaintiff(s)

v.

Juan Jose Garcia Mendoza, et al.

Defendant(s)

Civil Action No. 4:18-cv-00483

SUMMONS IN A CIVIL ACTION

To: *(Defendant's name and address)* Selle LLC
Registered agent: Worldwide Corporate Administrators LLC
2330 Ponce De Leon Blvd
Coral Gables, FL 33134

A lawsuit has been filed against you.

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DAVID J. BRADLEY

CLERK OF COURT

Date: FEB 23 2018


Signature of Clerk or Deputy Clerk

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Civil Action No. 4:18-cv-00483

PROOF OF SERVICE

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This summons for *(name of individual and title, if any)* Selle LLC
was received by me on *(date)* _____.

☐ I personally served the summons on the individual at *(place)* _____
on *(date)* _____; or

☐ I left the summons at the individual's residence or usual place of abode with *(name)* _____
_____, a person of suitable age and discretion who resides there,
on *(date)* _____, and mailed a copy to the individual's last known address; or

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☐ Other *(specify)*:

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I declare under penalty of perjury that this information is true.

Date: _____

Server's signature

Printed name and title

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U.S. District Court

SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

Notice of Electronic Filing

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Case Name: Harvest Natural Resources, Inc. et al v. Mendoza Garcia et al

Case Number: [4:18-cv-00483](#)

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Document Number: No document attached

Docket Text:

Summons Issued as to Azure 406 LLC, Juan Jose Mendoza Garcia, Petro Consultores S.C., Petroconsultores (Barbados) Ltd., Selle LLC. Issued summons delivered to plaintiff in person, filed.(mmapps, 4)

4:18-cv-00483 Notice has been electronically mailed to:

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AO 399 (01/09) Waiver of the Service of Summons

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for the
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Harvest Natural Resources, Inc., et al.

Plaintiff

v.

Juan Jose Mendoza Garcia, et al.

Defendant

Civil Action No. 4:18-00483

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Date:

2/28/18

Signature of the attorney or unrepresented party

Petroconsultores (Barbados) Ltd.

Printed name of party waiving service of summons

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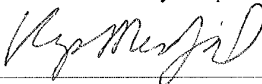
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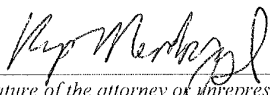
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HOUSTON DIVISION**

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INC., and HNR ENERGIA B.V.,	§	
	§	
Plaintiffs	§	
	§	
vs.	§	CIVIL ACTION NO. 4:18-cv-00483
	§	
JUAN JOSE GARCIA MENDOZA,	§	
PETRO CONSULTORES S.C., PETRO	§	
CONSULTORES INTERNATIONAL	§	
TRADING COMPANY, INC.,	§	
PETROCONSULTORES (BARBADOS)	§	
LTD., PETROCONSULTORES, INC.,	§	
SELLE LLC, AZURE 904 LLC, AZURE	§	JURY TRIAL DEMANDED
406 LLC, RAFAEL DARIO RAMIREZ	§	
CARRENO, EULOGIO ANTONIO DEL	§	
PINO DIAZ, and JOSE ANGEL	§	
GONZALEZ ACOSTA,	§	
	§	
Defendants	§	

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

Defendants, Juan Jose Garcia Mendoza, Azure 904, LLC, Petroconsultores, Inc., Petroconsultores (Barbados) Ltd., Petro Consultores S.C., and Petro Consultores International Trading Co, Inc. (hereinafter “Defendants”), hereby notify the Court and all parties of record that **Paul E. Coggins** of Locke Lord LLP, 2200 Ross Avenue, Suite 2800, Dallas, Texas 75201, is appearing on behalf of the Defendants in the above referenced matter. Copies of all communications and other documents filed in the above-referenced proceedings should be directed to the counsel below.

Respectfully submitted,

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By: /s/ Paul E. Coggins

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was served upon all counsel of record via the Court's electronic filing service on this 28th day of February, 2018.

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Counsel for Defendants

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Petro Consultores S.C. is a Venezuelan company headquartered in Venezuela. No publicly held corporation owns a ten percent or greater share of Petro Consultores S.C. Petro Consultores S.C. does not have any parent companies.

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Defendants certify that, as of this date, other than the above-identified entities, there are no other known entities that are not a party to this case that (i) have a financial interest in the subject matter in controversy or in a party to the proceeding, or (ii) have a non-financial interest in that subject matter or in a party that could be substantially affected by the outcome of this proceeding.

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For:

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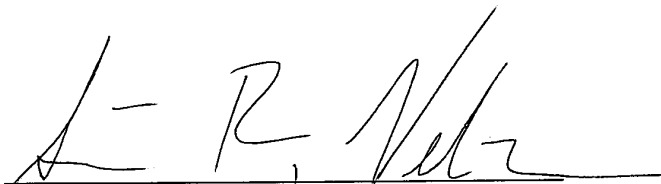
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I, SIMON R. VELA, do hereby affirm that on the **23rd day of February, 2018 at 4:45 pm**, I:

served a **CORPORATION** by delivering a true copy of the **SUMMONS/FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT/ORDER FOR CONFERENCE AND DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTED PARTIES** with the date and hour of service endorsed thereon by me, to: **SANDRA CASTILLO TEJERA** as **Registered Agent** at the address of: **9401 COLLINS AVENUE, UNIT 406, SURFSIDE, FL 33154** on behalf of **AZURE 406 LLC**, and informed said person of the contents therein, in compliance with state statutes.

I do hereby certify that I have no interest in the above action, that I am over the age of eighteen, and that I am a Certified Process Server in the circuit in which it was served. Under penalty of perjury, I declare that I have read the foregoing Verified Returned of Service and that the facts stated in it are true. I am in good standing in the circuit in which document was served. PURSUANT TO F.S. 92.525(2), NOTARY NOT REQUIRED



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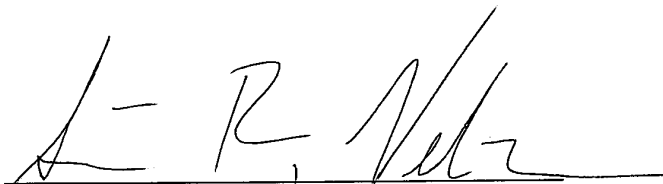
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I, Scott Gorman, do hereby affirm that on the **23rd day of February, 2018** at **3:45 pm**, I:

SERVED the within name corporation by delivering a true copy of the **SUMMONS/FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT** at the address of **2330 PONCE DE LEON BLVD, CORAL GABLES, FL 33134** with date and hour endorsed thereon by me to, **JANICE CAYON, RECEPTIONIST** as an employee of the Registered Agent listed with the Florida Division of Corporations, pursuant to F.S. 48.081 (3)(a).

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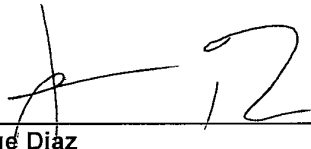
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SOTHERN District of TEXAS

Case Number: 18-483

Plaintiff:

HARVEST NATURAL RESOURCES, INC., AND HNR ENERGIA B.V.

vs.

Defendant:

JUAN JOSE MENDOZA GARCIA, ET AL.

For:

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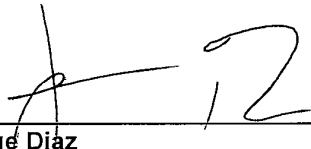
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Defendants.

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CIVIL ACTION: 4:18-cv-00483

**PLAINTIFFS' CERTIFICATE OF PERSONS FINANCIALLY INTERESTED IN
OUTCOME OF LITIGATION**

By and through its undersigned counsel, Plaintiffs Harvest Natural Resources, Inc. and HNR Energia B.V. hereby file this certificate, pursuant to the Court's order, "listing all person[s], associations of person, firms, partnerships, corporations, affiliates, parent corporations, or other entities that are financially interested in the outcome of this litigation." Dkt. 8, ¶ 2. Groups that "can be specified by a general description" are so identified, without listing all the individuals within said group. *See id.*

1. Harvest Natural Resources, Inc.¹
2. HNR Energia B.V.
3. All current board members of Harvest Natural Resources, Inc. and HNR Energia B.V.
4. Smyser Kaplan & Veselka LLP
5. All named defendants and their counsel

¹ Harvest Natural Resources, Inc. previously was listed on the New York Stock Exchange. On May 4, 2017, the entity dissolved, and the listing of its common stock on the NYSE was terminated.

Respectfully Submitted,

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I hereby certify that all counsel of record who are deemed to have consented to electronic service are being served with a copy of this document via the Court's CM/ECF system per Local Rule 5.1 on the 7th day of March, 2018.

/s/ Alex Wolf

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**PLAINTIFFS' NOTICE OF VOLUNTARY
DISMISSAL OF DEFENDANT AZURE 406 LLC**

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1)(A)(i), plaintiffs Harvest Natural Resources, Inc. and HNR Energia B.V., hereby give notice that Defendant Azure 406 LLC is voluntarily dismissed, without prejudice. As of the date of the filing of this Notice of Voluntary Dismissal, Defendant Azure 406 LLC has not filed an answer or a motion for summary judgment.

Respectfully Submitted,

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/s/ Alex Wolf

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